GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1564
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DEVELOPMENT OF PORTS
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to develop the ports in the country;

(b) if so, the fund earmarked for the purpose during Ninth Plan;

(c) the port-wise allocation made and actual amount spent in each port during the plan period; and

(d) the specific development or expansion programme implemented in Paradeep Port?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a) to (c) Development of Ports in the country is an ongoing process to cope with the demands of maritime trade. A Statement indicating the funds allocated, port-wise, for development of major ports and actual expenditure during the 9th Plan period from 1st April 1997 to 31st March 2002, is enclosed.

(d) During the 9th Plan period, the following major development/expansion programmes, involving a capacity addition of 30.25 MT were implemented in Paradip Port.

(i) Mechanical Coal Handling facilities for handling 20.00 MT of coal;

(ii) Captive fertilizer handling facilities for handling 1.25 MT of fertilizers;

(iii) Multipurpose Berths at Western Quay with capacity of 2.00 MT;

(iv) Construction of Oil Berth for handling 6.00 MT of POL ; and

(v) Second Multipurpose cargo Berth for handling 1.00 MT.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1564 FOR ANSWEI 13.3.2002 REGARDING DEVELOPMENT OF PORTS.

(Rs. in crores)

S.No.	Name of Port	Fund allocated during the 9th Plan	Actual expenditure during 9th Plan
1.	Calcutta	476.54	242.20
2.	Mumbai	799.44	523.34
3	Jawaharlal Nehru	398.36	231.35
4	Chennai	1153.14	980.43
5	Cochin	133.45	77.36
6	Visakhapatnam	400.70	364.00

7	Kandla	433.29	253.72
8	Mormugao	169.79	122.94
9	Paradip	1055.86	743.69
10	New Mangalore	269.44	205.34
11	Tuticorin	401.13	306.81
12	Ennore Port Limited	2.00	0.00
	Total	5693.14	4051.18

N.B. - Figures in Col. 4 above comprise actual expenditure during 1.3.1997 to 31.3.2001 and anticipated expenditure from 1.4.2001 to 31.3.2002